

MAX FLOW SIZES FROM 5 GPH to 20 GPM (20 LPH TO 75 LPM) MAX LIQUID PRESSURE 300 PSI MAX LIQUID PRESSURE 500 PSI MAX LIQUID PRESSURE 1500 PSI

(20.69 BAR) LL SERIES (34.48 BAR) LP SERIES (103.45 BAR) LH SERIES

# Flow meters, Flow switches and Flow transmitters A piston design for

low flows of liquids

CSA Certified NRTL/C

CE Marked (as noted)

NIST Traceable Calibration Certificate Available



LL Series, with standard scale and pointer (control box A).

## DESCRIPTION

These variable-area meters position an orifice over a tapered shaft to establish flow rate. Mounting is in-line and in any position. Straight pipe runs before or after this monitor are not required. The all-mechanical sensing system directly drives the pointer, switches and transmitters.

### READOUTS

The flowmeter has outputs both visual and electronic. Visual displays are either pointer (with inscribed scale) or numeric (digital LCD). Electronic outputs can be mechanical switch closure, 4-20 mA analog or both (for signal redundancy). The switches can be general purpose or rated for hazardous locations (all classes, groups and divisions). The 4-20 mA transmitters are Intrinsically Safe if used with approved barriers.

## CALIBRATION

All flow meters are individually calibrated for fluids with the viscosity you specify (up to 3000 SSU/650 Centistokes). We also compensate for your fluid's specific gravity. For NIST Traceability please consult factory.

### **CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS**

Housings and seals are offered in a variety of materials to suit a wide range of applications, such as: water, oil, coolants, paint, solvents and some corrosive fluids. See selections in the "How to Order" section.

### LINE CONNECTION

Ports can be threaded or flanged. See selections in the "How to Order" section.



Fluid flow causes a spring-loaded piston **A** having a circular opening at its center **B** to move along the axis of a precision-tapered shaft **C**. This creates a variable orifice in direct proportion to the flow rate. The piston is mechanically linked to the readout pointer **D** and actuates switch **E** or a transmitter (not shown).

HOW TO ORDER Select appropriate symbols and build a model code number, as in example shown:									/n:				
E	XAMPLE:	LL -	В	Ζ	Ρ		S	В	15 <b>GH</b> -	4		U-	32ØV.9 -
SERIES BY PRESSURE RATI Normal pressure (150 or 300 Medium pressure (500 PSI) High pressure (1500 PSI)	<b>NG</b> ) PSI) = = =	LL LP LH											
HOUSING MATERIAL Aluminum Cast iron, nickel plated Brass Cast iron Carbon steel Carbon steel, nickel plated Stainless steel (316) PISTON MATERIAL Brass Stainless steel (316) CAP MATERIAL Metal (same as housing) use Polysulfone (150 PSI)	WHERE USE Lube oil Water, oil wit corrosion pre Oil Oil Water, oil wit corrosion pre Chemicals, c Water, oil Corrosives, o	D h exterior otection tection orrosives chemicals sing (300 PS	= A = N = C = C = J = Z = I		M P (	LL only)							
Stainless steel (300 series) Stainless steel (316 series)	Sta Wa	andard for oil ater, chemica	ls and c	orrosi	ves	= =	S Z						
SEAL MATERIAL        Buna N        EPR        Viton        Kalrez        Kalrez (dynamic) & Buna N (r        Kalrez (dynamic) and EPR (s        Kalrez (dynamic) and Viton (r        Kalrez (dynamic) and Viton (r        Kalrez (dynamic) and Teflon (r        MAX FLOW RATE LIQUIDS        GPH: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30        GPM: 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1, 1        LPH: 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 7        LPM: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30        CMH: 1, 2, 3 & 4	Wa Ho Ac Co (static) Sp tatic) Sp (static) Co (Availa , 4Ø, 5Ø, 6Ø, .5, 2, 2.5, 3, 7Ø, 8Ø, 9Ø, 1 , 35, 4Ø, 5Ø,	tter, oil t water, caus ids, some ca rrosives, solv ecialty ecialty rrosives, solv ble only in m <b>75, 80, 90,</b> <b>4, 5, 6, 7, 8,</b> <b>90, 200, 30</b> <b>60, 70 &amp; 75</b>	tics ustics /ents letal "Ca 1ØØ, 1 9, 1Ø, Ø, 4ØØ	p Mat 2Ø, 1 15 & , 5ØØ	erial 5Ø, 1 2Ø , 6Ø	" (option N 200, 250 Ø, 700, 8	= = = = = 1) = 8, 30	8 F J H K T	= GH = GM & 1000 = LH = LM = CMH				
			FLAN Ex: 2F Pipe	GED WCS1 Size Ir	150F	RF = 1/4", V hes At	Velde tach	Pipe size and attachment method	THREADED ATTA Pipe Size In Inches 1/8 1/4 3/8 1/2 5/8 3/4 arbon steel, Class Material	ACHN NP 1 2 3 4 6	AENT      In GPM        SAE      BSPP      BSPT      Max Flow        In GPM      In GPM      In GPM        2T      2BP      2BT      2        4T      4BP      4BT      5        6T      6BP      6BT      10        8T      8BP      8BT      15        10T      10BP      10BT      15        12T      12BP      12BT      20        Raised Face flange        Class      Style		
			2 3 4 6 8		= 1/ = 3/ = 1/ = 3/ = 1"	4" FV 8" FT: 2" 4"	<b>V</b> =W =Thr	eldec eade	d <b>CS</b> =Carbon S d <b>S</b> =316 Stain	teel ess L L	150    RF=Ansi raised face      300    600      NLET PORT POSITION      Jpper inline (max. 2 GPM)      _ower offset	UL	
FLUID CHARACTERISTICS													

Viscosity number followed by a 'V' (for SSU), 'C' (for centipoise), or 'CS' (for centistokes) followed by the specific gravity. Example: **320V**.9 would indicate a fluid with a viscosity of 320 SSU with a specific gravity of .9. For dual viscosities (where there is a start up viscosity or where there may be a range) put in both values with a slash. Example: 320/150V.9.

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SERVICE			
Oil and dust tight (Type 12) Available on "A", "L" and "Z" only = N			
Weatherproof (Type 4) Available on all boxes = W			
Weatherproof, corrosion proof (Type 4X) Available on all boxes = $X$			
FLOW DIRECTION			
Left to right =	R		
Right to left =	L		
Up =	U		
Down =	D		
SPECIAL OPTIONS			
High-temp- 400°F for A & R Box (300°F for transmitter options)	=	HT	
High accuracy (+/-3%)	=	HA	
Stainless steel ID tag	=	ST	
Pin connector with 3-6 pins, mini and micro style available	=	PC	
CSA enclosure / PVC window	=	С	
Tempered glass window	=	TG	
Wall mounting bracket	=	W	
Foot mounting bracket	=	F	

 

 SWITCH SETTING

 No symbol
 = Lowest possible setting (usually 10% of maximum flow)

 Desired set point is assumed to be in flow units already selected (GPH). Give flow rate followed by a "D" for flow going down (flow failure) or a "U" for flow going up.

 Example, 5D indicates a setting of 5 GPH in declining flow.

5D

### **CONTROL BOX & READOUT**

Basic Features	Additional Options	e poin	Standard resolu Iter and inscrib	ution ed scale	High resolution pointer and	Separate junction boxes (with terminal strips)
Π	Π				inscribed scale	for switch & transmitter
		"	A", "L" and "Z'	' Box	"R" Box	"T" Box
<u>ک</u> ل	۲ لے			Materials of Con	struction	
	$\vee$	Polysulfone	Aluminum	316 Stainless	Aluminum	Aluminum
	No switch	AØ	LØ	ZØ	RØ	
	One SPDT (3 wire), CE	A1	L1	Z1	R1	
	One high vibration SPDT (3 wire), CE	A1B	L1B	Z1B	R1B	
These options all include	Two SPDT (3 wire), CE	A2	L2	Z2	R2	
inscribed scale and pointer	Two high vibration SPDT (3 wire), CE	A2B	L2B	Z2B	R2B	
plus one of the standard (non	One SPDT (4 wire)	A3	L3	Z3	R3	
hazardous location) switches	Two SPDT (4 wire)	A4	L4	Z4	R4	
selected to the right.	One SPDT (3 wire) high temperature	A61	L61	Z61	R61	
	Two SPDT (3 wire) high temperature	A62	L62	Z62	R62	
	One SPDT (3 wire) gold contact	A71	L71	Z71	R71	
	Two SPDT (3 wire) gold contact	A72	L72	Z72	R72	
	One SPDT hazardous location					
These options all contain inscribed scale with pointer	(all classes, groups and divisions)				R7	
	One DPDT hazardous location					
	(all classes, groups and divisions)				K1/	
	Iwo SPDT hazardous location					
plus hazardous location	(all classes, groups and divisions)				K18	
switches selected to the	Iwo DPDT hazardous location				<b>P</b> /0	
right. Note that the put is not	(all classes, groups and divisions)				KTY	
rated, only the switches.	One SPST hazardous location proximity				Dag	
	(all classes, groups and divisions)				K3Ø	
	Iwo SPST nazardous location proximity				D04	
	(all classes, groups and divisions)	450	150	750	K31	
	Une SPDT (3 wire) hermetically sealed	A53	L53	Z53		
	Two SPDT (3 wire) nermetically sealed	A54	L54	Z54		
	No switches (Instrinsically safe with barrier)	AXØ	LXØ	ZXØ	RXØ	TXØ
These options all contain a	One SPDT (3 wire), CE				RX1	TX1
4-20 mA transmitter and one	Two SPDT (3 wire), CE				RX2	TX2
of the selections to the right.	One SPDT (4 wire)				RX3	TX3
	Two SPDT (4 wire)				RX4	TX4
	One SPDT (3 wire) high temperature				RX61	TX61
	No switches					τγια
These options all include a	Ong SPDT (3 wirg) CF					
4-20 mA transmitter with a	One SPDT ( $J$ wire), OL					
digital LCD display plus one	One SPDT (2 wire) high temperature					TVI 61
of the selections to the right.	one or or (o wire) myn temperature					INLUI

### **ENGINEERING DATA**

#### Maximum fluid temperature: 200°F (93°C)

**Optional max. fluid temperatures:** 300 & 400°F (148 & 204°C) (option **HT**)

Maximum ambient temp: 150°F (65°C) CSA listed only to 105°F (41°C)

#### Series LL max. operating pressures:

With plastic cap: (3:1 safety factor): 150 PSI (10.34 BAR) With metal cap: (3:1 safety factor): 300 PSI (20.69 BAR)

Series LP max. operating pressures: (2:1 safety factor): 500 PSI (34.48 BAR)

Series LH max. operating pressures: (2:1 safety factor): 1500 PSI (103.45 BAR)

Pressure drop: 5 PSI (.35 BAR) at full scale

Readout accuracy, full scale: ±5%

Switch repeatability is 1% of actual flow

### INSTALLATION

Flow monitors mount in-line or offset and are typically supported by rigid pipe. For additional support when using tubing or flexible hose, order special options **W** (wall) or **F** (foot) mounting brackets.



#### Foot Mount Bracket



### **SPECIAL OPTIONS**

**High temperature:** (option **HT**) requires all-metal construction (M Cap material) with seals of Viton, EPR, Kalrez or Teflon (compatible with fluid). A thermal barrier (heat-resistant cloth) is added between the housing and the control box, which must be used with service option "W" (weatherproof) or "X" (corrosion resistant). A metal scale is provided.

**High Accuracy:** (option **HA**) Modification of full scale to +/-3%. HA not available with transmitter or R7, R17, R18, R19 switch options. Requires flow rates of 1 GPM or greater. Identification tag: (option ST) customer-supplied information is stamped on a stainless steel tag that is attached to the nameplate.

**Multi-pin connector:** Pin connectors (option **PC**) are available for rapid field installation. Meters are provided with the male half of either a micro or a mini pin connector. Check the chart below for the number of pins required for your control box selection and current type. Insert the number of pins in the code PC\_\_\_ for a mini connector or PC\_\_M for a micro connector. For example, a PC5 would be a 5 pin mini and PC5M would be a 5 pin Micro. (See table below for number of pins required for each option.)

### Tempered-glass window:

(option **TG**) replaces the standard window. A tempered-glass window is employed where airborne solvents or high-ambient temperatures are common.

	AC switch options			1, 1B, 61, 71		3		53
	DC switch options	0	1, 1B, 61, 71	3	2, 2B, 54, 62, 72		53	
	Α		3	4	6	5	3	4
Box	R		3	4	6	5	3	4
	RX	3						
	ТХ	3	3	4			3	4
	TXL	3	3	4			3	4

\*This box allows micro pin connectors only. Eg. PC3M or PC5M.

### **CONTROL BOX SELECTION GUIDE**

### "A", "L" and "Z" Boxes





It holds switches (general purpose and hermetically sealed) or 4-20mA transmitter.

You get this control box when you order any CONTROL BOX & READOUT starting with an "A" (see "How to Order" page). Examples: A1WR is a one switch, weatherproof box with flow from left to right.

This control box is made of Polysulfone (standard low cost "A") with options for aluminum ("L") or 316 stainless steel ("Z").





Maximum installation dimensions

#### "R" Box



"R" box is selected for greater resolution (more increments on the inscribed scale).

It holds switches (general purpose and hazardous location all classes groups and divisions) and 4-20mA transmitter. Switch (standard service) and transmitter are offered in this control box together when signal redundancy is desired.

You get this control box when you order any CONTROL BOX & READOUT starting with an "R" (see "How to Order" page). Examples: R1WR is a one switch, weatherproof box with flow from left to right.

This control box is made from epoxy coated aluminum.





Maximum installation dimensions

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<sup>&</sup>quot;T" Box



"T" box is selected for availability of two isolated junction boxes with terminal strips. This means that no direct wiring to switches or transmitters is required.

Digital LCD display of flow is optional ("TXL").

It holds switches (general purpose) and 4-20mA transmitter. Switch (standard service) and transmitter are offered in this control box together when signal redundancy is desired. These are wired to separate junction boxes for signal isolation.

You get this control box when you order any CONTROL BOX & READOUT starting with a "T" (see "How to Order" page). Examples: TX1WR is a one switch with 4-20mA transmitter, weatherproof box with flow from left to right.

This control box is made from epoxy coated aluminum.





Maximum installation dimensions



